

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

GLEN TROGDON,

Plaintiff,

v.

NDOC HIGH DESERT STATE PRISON,

Defendant.

2:14-cv-555-GMN-NJK

**ORDER**

**I. DISCUSSION**

Plaintiff, who is a prisoner in the custody of the Nevada Department of Corrections (“NDOC”), has filed an application to proceed *in forma pauperis* and a motion for production of documents from the government. (ECF No. 1, 1-1). Plaintiff has not filed a complaint in this matter.

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 3, “[a] civil action is commenced by filing a complaint with the court.” Fed. R. Civ. P. 3. As such, the Court grants Plaintiff thirty (30) days from the date of this order to submit a complaint to this Court. The Court will defer a decision on the application to proceed *in forma pauperis* until Plaintiff submits a proper initiating document for this case.

**II. CONCLUSION**

For the foregoing reasons, IT IS ORDERED that a decision on the application to proceed *in forma pauperis* (ECF No. 1) is deferred.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the motion for production of documents by the government (ECF No. 1-1) is denied.

1 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Plaintiff shall submit a complaint to this Court within  
2 thirty (30) days of the date of this order.

3 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court shall send to Plaintiff the  
4 approved form for filing a 42 U.S.C. § 1983 complaint and instructions for the same.

5 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that if Plaintiff does not timely comply with this order,  
6 dismissal of this action may result.

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8 DATED: This 22nd day of May, 2014.

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